

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
LOK SABHA**

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CGHS EMPANELLED PRIVATE HOSPITALS
Bhakta Shri Manoranjan

Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of CGHS empanelled private hospitals in Kolkata and Delhi;
- (b) whether these private Hospitals give admission to only those CGHS beneficiaries who make an advance payment ;
- (c) if so, the details of MoU signed between various referral Ministries/Departments ;
- (d) whether the Government has noticed any violations of the said MoU; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof and the action taken thereon ?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SMT. PANABAKA LAKSHMI)

- (a): The list of private hospitals/diagnostic Centres recognised under CGHS Kolkata and CGHS Delhi is given at Annexure-'A'.
 - (b)&(c): The Memorandum of Agreement(MOA) signed by Director(CGHS) on behalf of the President of India and the authorised signatory of the CGHS recognised private hospitals/diagnostic centres interalia stipulates that in the case of an emergency, the recognized private hospital shall not refuse admission or demand advance from the CGHS beneficiary and shall provide credit facilities to the concerned patient on the production of a valid CGHS card. The CGHS recognised private hospitals/ diagnostic centres shall submit their bills for reimbursement as per the CGHS approved ceiling rates for various medical procedures/tests/investigations to the concerned Department in the case of serving employees and to the Office of the concerned Additional Director, CGHS in the case of pensioner beneficiaries.
- For Non-emergency cases, on production of a valid permission letter from the CMO In-charge of the CGHS dispensary, the recognized private hospital/diagnostic centre shall provide credit facility to the CGHS Pensioner cardholders.
- (d): Yes, Sir. One complaint was received where the CGHS recognised private hospital had demanded advance payment in an emergency case for admitting the patient in the hospital whereas as per MOA, the hospital should have admitted the patient without demanding any advance.
 - (e): The concerned Hospital was advised to give credit facility to the beneficiary admitted in emergency as per the terms of the MOA.